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The Honorable Paul H. Nitze  
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Dear Mr. ~~Nitze~~ *Paul:*

I would like to thank you for taking time from a very busy schedule to participate in our Guest Speaker Program.

As you may possibly be aware, I have taken a personal interest in this program since its inception, when our intention was to develop a mechanism for intellectual expansion by providing our Agency employees with the opportunity to hear outside speakers, who might provide a new and different insight of world developments based upon their unique experiences and diverse background. It is no longer limited to the Agency, and some seventy members of the Intelligence Community were also in the audience, when you visited with us.

Your presentation was extremely well received and lived up to our highest expectations. I feel certain that your stimulating and thoughtful remarks will challenge us to produce more penetrating analyses in the strategic area.

It was pleasant talking with you, and again my thanks for a solid contribution to this important aspect of "training."

Sincerely,

*151 Bill*

W. E. Colby  
Director

**SUBJECT:** Letter to The Honorable Paul H. Nitze Thanking Him  
for Participating in Our Guest Speaker Program

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/s/ JOHN N. McMAHON

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